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C O N F I D E N T I A L KATHMANDU 5581

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, NP
SUBJECT: HIJACKING

REF: A) KATHMANDU 5559, B) STATE 290399

DURING MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER DECEMBER 19
I MENTIONED REPORT WE HAD JUST RECEIVED ABOUT
SUSPECTED HIJACKING OF RNAC FLIGHT IN BANGKOK
DECEMBER 18 (REF A). I SAID WE WERE GIVING IN-
CREASING ATTENTION TO PROBLEMS OF TERRORISM AND
HIJACKING (REF B) AND SUGGESTED EMBASSY BE IN
TOUCH WITH THE GON TO DISCUSS WHAT COULD BE DONE
TO IMPROVE MEASURES AND STANDARDS OF INTERNATIONAL
COOPERATION AGAINST HIJACKING. PM SAID HE WELCOMED
SUCH ANMOXCHANGE ADDING THAT HE HAD REPORTED TO
KING ON PREVIOUS CONVERSATIONS HE AND I HAD HAD ABOUT
TERRORISM AND HIJACKING WHICH HAD LED KING TO INSTRUCT
HIM TO SEE WHAT COULD BE DONE TO IMPROVE NEPALESE
CAPABILITIES IN THIS FIELD.

COMMENT: THIS EXCHANGE HELPS SET STAGE FOR
DISCUSSIONS WITH GON ON SUBJECT OF HIJACKING AND
TERRORISM. KING'S INTEREST IN THIS TOPIC AS REPORTED
BY PRIME MINISTER
MAY EXPLAIN WHY WE HAVE BEEN UNDER
INCREASING PRESSURE BY INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE
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TO PROVIDE TRAINING IN ANTI-TERRORISM MEASURES AND
PROTECTION OF VIPS. END COMMENT.
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